

House Resolution No. 2227

Whereas, as the 2006-2007 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Kennett School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on May 25, 2007, with the retirement of Palmer L. Pellham, Jr., who has devoted several years of his life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

Whereas, Palmer Pellham has taught graphic arts for more than twenty-five years in the Kennett School District, where he is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Palmer Pellham has touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

Whereas, Palmer Pellham has watched his pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge he has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

Whereas, so many young Missourians have left the classrooms of the Kennett School District fully prepared to face the challenges ahead as a result of the outstanding professional endeavors of Palmer Pellham; and

Whereas, Palmer Pellham has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include his wife, Glenda L. Pellham; two children, Palmer L. Pellham, III, and Steven Carl Pellham; and three grandchildren, Aubrey Fallon Rowe, Alice Katherine Pellham, and Logan Thomas Pellham;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Kennett School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Palmer Pellham has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing him the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that he so justly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Palmer L. Pellham, Jr., as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by _____
Representative Thomas Todd
District No. 163

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2227, adopted April 18, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker